** Pakistan School, Kingdom of Bahrain**

**Send Up Examination (HSSC-I & II) , Feb-Mar 2021**

**Class: 12 Sec: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Total Marks: 20**

**Subject: English Time Allowed: 25 minutes**

**Student’s Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**NOTE:** **Section-A is compulsory. Do not use correction pen. Don’t cut or over write and don’t give more than one answer. It should be completed in the first 25 minutes and handed over to the Centre Superintendent. Do not use lead pencil.**

 **SECTION-A (20 Marks)**

**Q.1 Circle the correct option i.e. A / B / C / D. Each part carries one mark.**

**1. The longest and perhaps the most complete version of the Farewell Sermon has been given in: A) Sahi Bukhari B) Musnad C) Tirmidhi D) Sahi Muslim**

**2. Jinnah’s first presidential address to the constituent assembly of Pakistan was on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ .**

1. **4th August, 1947 B) 20th August, 1947 C) 11th August, 1947 D) 11th August, 1948**

**3. When was Emancipation Proclamation signed by Abraham Lincoln?**

1. **1863 B) 1963 C) 1864 D) 1763**

**4. Why did Bassanio, in the play, ask Antonio to lend him three thousand ducats?**

**A. Because he had to return his debt. B. He wanted to buy goods.**

**C. He wanted to marry a rich lady. D. He wanted to test his loyalty.**

**5. What was the narrator’s job in the lesson” Lingkuan Gorge”?**

 **A) Traffic Controller. B) Construction Engineer.**

 **C) Crane Operator. D) Materials’ Department Chief.**

**6. John Roebling’s son was a/an \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ engineer.**

1. **budding B) professional C) experienced D) bad**

**7. Which one of the following words has correct spelling?**

1. **Archeaological B) Archiaological C) Archaeological D) Archaiologica**

**8. The poem “I Dream a World” is about:**

1. **A dystopian world B) A utopian world C) Socialism D) Communism**

**9. The bewildered tourist was lost in the forest. The underlined part of the sentence is a / an:**

 **A) Noun Phrase B) Adjective Phrase C) Adverb Phrase D) Appositive Phrase**

**10. I expect that I shall get a prize. The underlined part of the sentence is a / an:**

1. **Adverb Clause B) Adjective Clause C) Noun Clause D) Relative Clause**

**11. I enjoy reading poetry. The reading is a / an \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ .**

**A) Past participle B) Infinitive C) Gerund D) Predicate**

**12. My alarm clock yells at me to get out of bed every morning. The sentence is an example of :**

1. **Metaphor B) Personification C) Alliteration D) Simile**

**13. This professor is a walking dictionary. The sentence is an example of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ .**

1. **Alliteration B) Metaphor C)Simile D) Image**

**14. Although he was very rich, he was still very unhappy. It is a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ sentence.**

1. **Simple B) Compound C) Complex D) Imperative**

**15. A document of great value was found yesterday. In the sentence, of great value is :**

 **A) a preposition B) a phrase C) a phrasal verb D) None of these**

**16. Each participant was asked to complete a survey.. The underline word is a / an:**

1. **Adjective of quality B) Adjective of number C) Distributive Adjective D) Demonstrative Adjective**

**17. I could hear a strange noise. The underlined verb is a / an:**

 **A) Transitive Verb B) Intransitive Verb C) Regular Verb D) Irregular verb**

**18. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ school will shortly close for Eid Holidays. Complete the sentence with the suitable article.**

1. **A B) No article C) An D) The**

**19. Either of you can go. The underline word is a / an:**

 **A). Relative Pronoun B) Indefinite Pronoun**

 **C) Demonstrative Pronoun D) Distributive Pronoun**

**20. Which one of the following words has correct spellings?**

1. **Segregation B) Seggregation C) Sagregation D) Segrigation**

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**Subject: English Time Allowed: 2.35 hours**

**Student’s Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**NOTE:** **Section ‘B’ and ‘C’ are** **to be answered on the separately provided Answer Book. Use supplementary answer sheet i.e., sheet B, if required. Write your answers neatly and legibly.**

 **SECTION-B (48 Marks)**

**Q2. (A) Prose: (7** $×$ **4 = 28)**

**Write any SEVEN of the following parts of the questions in about 40 to 50 words each in the light of the textbook.**

1. What did the Holy Prophet SAW say about Khatame Nubawat?
2. What does MA Jinnah mean by “Hindus would cease to be Hindus and Muslims would cease to be Muslims”? Explain
3. What does Dr. King mean by “This is the faith with which I return to the South?” What faith? Faith in what?
4. Why did John Roebling ignore when other engineers said that construction of the bridge was an impossible idea?
5. When will the Negro, be satisfied or not satisfied, according to Dr. King?
6. What are Quaid’s views about the division of India?
7. What sort of child is Cheng Yu? What attitude does he display towards his parent and his responsibilities?
8. The Brooklyn Bridge is called a tribute, a monument by the author. Why?
9. What is the status of women in Islam?

**(B) Poetry:**

**Write any two of the following questions. (2** $×$ **4 = 8)**

1. What type of the world is Langston Hughes dreaming in the poem “I dream a World”?
2. What message does Edgar Guest try to convey to the readers in the poem “It Couldn’t be Done”?
3. What technique has been adopted by Rudyard Kiplings in the poem “If” to motivate the readers to achieve their goals?

**Q.3** **Plays:**

 **Answer any TWO of the following parts of the question in 60-70 words in context of ‘Tales from Shakespeare’. (2 × 6 = 12)**

 i. How does Portia save life of Antonio from the cruelty of Shylock?

ii. Is Shylock a victim, a villain or combination of both?

iii. Who was Bassanio and why did he need money?

**SECTION-C (32 Marks)**

**Q.5 A. There are six errors of verbs, article, adjective, noun and pronoun in the given paragraph. Rewrite the paragraph after correcting the errors. Underline the corrected words. (6)**

 “A good citizen is awared of the fact he is indebted to his society in many ways. He knows that the labor and work of countless persons have enriched his life. His life, to a great extent, depend on others. He has received much in materially and spiritual benefits from others. It is only just right that he should pay his debts. How does good citizen pay his debts to the society by using a useful and fruitful life? He lives not for himselves alone. He lives for others. He pays his taxes. He take keen interesting in the affairs of his state. He does not live in isolation. One is not selfish. He is tolerant, kind and virtuous.”

**b. Use any FOUR of the following idioms in sentences.** **(4)**

1. A bird’s eye view IV. A dead letter
2. At the drop of the hat V. Get into hot water
3. A broken reed VI. Ward off

**Q.6 Read the following passage and answer the given questions. (10)**

 The individualis as much a product of society as society is the product of individuals; a vast network of customs, manners, conventions, language and traditional ideals lies ready to pounce upon every new born child, mould it into the image of the people among whom it has appeared. In general the role of the instinct has been exaggerated, and that of early training underrated; the most powerful instincts, such as sex and pugnacity, have been considerably modified and controlled by social training. We must unlearn our ideas about an unchangeable human nature and an all – important environment. There is no knowable limit to change our growth.

**Questions**

1. Find the words from the passage that mean the same as given below. **(02)**
2. Attack b. Contention
3. What are the factors which mould the child into the image of the people? **(02)**
4. Write a precis of the given passage in about one third of its length and also suggest a suitable title. **(05+01)**

**Write an essay in about 250 – 300 words on one of the following topics: (12)**

1. **Threats to Mankind**

**Outline**

State of human safety in the beginning of life earth – man’s conquest of forces of nature – development of science and technology – man endangered his own safety – nuclear war, global warming – terrorism etc. are serious threats to mankind – suggestions – summing up

1. **The Habit of Reading**

**Outline**

 an important activity . . . increases knowledge . . . utilization of time positively . . . broadens vision . . . variety of subjects . . . computer a new way of reading . . . role of libraries . . . books are the best companion . . . conclusion